STAND. COM. REP. NO. 234

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 11 , 2011

RE: H.B. No. 724

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Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Sixth State Legislature Regular Session of 2011 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred H.B. No. 724 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOSTER CARE SERVICES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to require the Department of Human Services (DHS) to amend its administrative rules to increase from \$529 per month to an unspecified amount the monthly foster care maintenance payment to licensed foster family boarding homes, child-care institutions, and facilities that provide contracted emergency shelter or group home services for DHS, the Office of Youth Services, or Family Court.

The Hawaii Youth Services Network testified in support of this bill. DHS opposed this measure.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

- (1) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2050, to encourage further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Human Services that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 724, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 724, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Human Services,

JOHN M. MIZUNO, Chazi

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Human Services

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 724	Committee Referral: HUS, FIN	Date:	2/3/20	1
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: □ Pass, unamended (as is) □ Pass, with amendments (HD) □ Hold □ Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
HUS Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. MIZUNO, John M. (C)				
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2. JORDAN, Jo (VC)				
3. BELATTI, Della Au				
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4. HANOHANO, Faye P.				
5. LEE, Chris				
6. MORIKAWA, Dee				
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7. WOOLEY, Jessica			•	
8. YAMANE, Ryan I.				
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9. CHING, Corinne W.L.				
10. PINE, Kymberly Marcos				
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TOTAL (10)	9			1
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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